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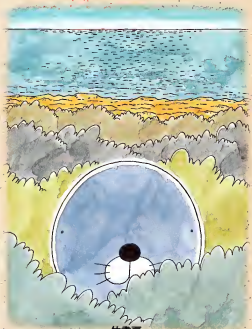
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今回登場する主なキャラクター Characters



BONOBONO CHIPMUNK, RACCOON

BONOBONO IS THE MAIN CHARACTER OF THIS MANGA. HE CAN PLAY BY HIMSELF. CHIPMUNK IS HIS FRIEND. CHIPMUNK CAN BE BY HIMSELF. RACCOON IS A BULLY. RACCOON CAN'T BE BY HIMSELF.



BONOBONO'S DAD

BONOBONO'S TALENT IS NOT ONLY TOLERATING AND ENDURING THINGS. HE'S ALSO GOOD AT TELLING JOKES BUT HE DOESN'T GET THE JOKES TOLD BY OTHERS.



MR. FISHING CAT

HE LIKES SLEEPING. THIS TIME, HE'S WORKING HARD AT WHAT HE LIKES. BUT THIS IS A SIGN OF A STORM (IT'S UNCERTAIN IF THIS IS TRUE).



DAI AND SHO

THEY ARE CHIPMUNK'S OLDER SISTERS. DAI IS FRIGHTENINGLY EDUCATED. SHO IS FRIGHTENINGLY FUN-LOVING.



CHIPMUNK'S DAD AND MOM

DAD IS QUIET AND MOM IS MOM IS DEVOTED. YOU CAN SAY THEY ARE LEADING A PROPER LIFESTYLE. THEY DON'T WANT MUCH EVEN THOUGH THEY LOSE A LOT OF THINGS.



FENNEC FOX

FENNEC LIVES IN THE DESERT. THERE'S SOMETHING HE WANTS TO BECOME. HE HAS A LOUD VOICE AND HE'S A CAREFREE FELLOW.



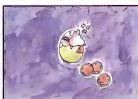
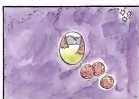
LADYBUG

EVEN THOUGH HE IS THE WEAK ONE IN THE FOREST, HE IS CHIPMUNK'S ARCHENEMY. THE REASON IS BECAUSE CHIPMUNK IS ALSO THE WEAK ONE.

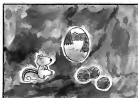
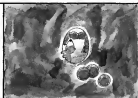
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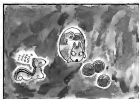
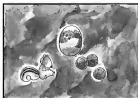
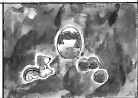
CHIPMUNK IS TAKING A NAP



CHIPMUNK AND LADYBUG



CHIPMUNK AND HIS SISTER



CHIPMUNK'S SISTERS: SHO AND DAI



CHIPMUNK SAYS, "WAI!"



CHIPMUNK JUMPS UP AND DOWN



CHIPMUNK'S SMILE



DID CHIPMLINK SMILE?



I CAME UP WITH A NEW JOKE



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CHIPWINK'S OLDEST SISTER IS STRICT.

CHIPWINK'S OTHER OLDER SISTER BULLIES HIM. BEING STRICT AND BULLYING ARE DIFFERENT, RIGHT? IF YOU'RE STRICT, YOU WILL BULLY.

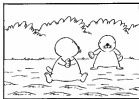
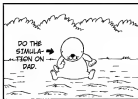
IF YOU BULLY, AREN'T YOU STRICT? I WONDER.



MY NEW JOKE



LET'S TRY IT ON DAD



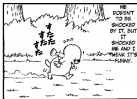
MY REACTION



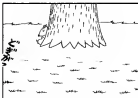
DAD'S REACTION



LET'S TRY IT ON CHIPMUNK



CHIPMUNK AND SHO THROWS A WALNUT



DAI'S OPINION



DAI'S DEMONSTRATION



DAI'S DEMONSTRATION



CHIPMUNK CAN TAKE IT

YOU'RE KIDDING
CHIPMUNK. YOU
CAN GET USED
TO THE PAIN.
WATCH BECAUSE
YOU WOULDN'T
CONSIDER IT.

YOU TWO ARE
BULLYING ME.

HERE
COMES.

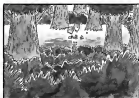


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I WONDER IF MY JOKE ISN'T FUNNY.
I WONDER IF MY JOKE ISN'T FUNNY.
ALTHOUGH I'M FUNNY, EVERYBODY
ELSE ISN'T FUNNY.
I WONDER HOW ME AND THE OTHERS
ARE DIFFERENT.
I WONDER WHEN ME AND THE OTHERS
BECAME DIFFERENT.
I WONDER.



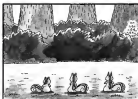
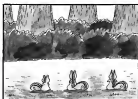
I WAS WATCHING



MY JOKE



I'VE BEEN SPOTTED



WHAT? YOU'RE CHIPMUNK'S SISTERS?



WHAT? CHIPMUNK'S SISTERS?



WHAT?
PAPA



ALL THAT WASN'T MY JOKE JUST NOW.



WHAT IS THIS?



HE THOUGHT
THEY WOULD
ABSOLUTELY
HAT IT, SO
HE GO TO
HIS
FRIEND'S
PLACE, BUT
HE DOESN'T
GET IT.
HE'S DISAP-
POINTED.



WHAT'S
THIS?
THIS
HAPPENED
BEFORE.

IF HE'S IN
TROUBLE AND
HE THINKS HIS
FRIEND CAN
TO HELP HIM,
HE STAY-
POINTED AT
HOW THEY'RE
POPPING.



WHAT'S
THIS?
THIS
HAPPENED
BEFORE.

IF HE WANTS
IT TO BE
FASTER, HE
NEEDS TO
TALK OF
ONLY
SOMEBODY AND
UNLESS
THINKS AND
HE BECOMES
STAY-
POINTING.



WHAT'S
THIS?
THIS
HAPPENED
BEFORE.



I WONDER WHAT CHIPMUNK'S SISTERS ARE GOING TO DO



WHAT? YOUR SISTERS BULLY YOU?



DAI'S PUNISHMENT



CHIPMUNK AND WALNUTS



I'M FALLING BEHIND

MY SISTERS
ARE BULLYING
ME. THEY'RE
BULLYING ME!



CHIP-
MUNK,
WAIT!

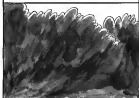


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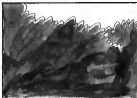
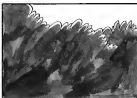
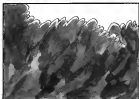
WHAT'S INDEPENDENCE?
WHAT'S INDEPENDENCE?
IT SEEMS LIKE CHIPMUNK CAN'T BE
INDEPENDENT IF HE HOLDS ONTO THAT
WALNUT.
I ALSO HOLD ONTO A SEA SHELL, SO
AS LONG AS I HOLD ONTO A SEA
SHELL, DOES IT MEAN I CAN'T BE
INDEPENDENT?
WHAT HAPPENS IF I'M NOT
INDEPENDENT?
WHAT HAPPENS IF I'M NOT
INDEPENDENT?



MEANWHILE, DAI...



I'M FALLING FURTHER BEHIND



CHIPMUNK IS CAUGHT



SHO'S TRICK



I FINALLY CAUGHT UP



SHO'S TRICK



CHIPMLINK TAKES A SNIFF



DAI'S TEARS



MY OPINION



WHAT IS BEING
INDEPENDENT?

CHIPMUNK'S TEST



GET IT, CHIP-
MUNK? YOU
CAN'T BETRAY
THOSE WHO
TRUST YOU!



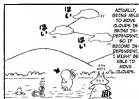
I WONDER
IF BEING
INDEPEND-
ENT
MEANS
BEING
ABLE TO
RUN VERY
FAST!

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BEING INDEPENDENT



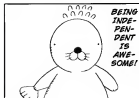
AND THROW
AWAY THE
NUT!



ACTUALLY,
BEING ABLE
TO MOVE
QUICKLY IS
BEING IN-
DEPENDENT.
SO IF
BEING IN-
DEPENDENT,
I MIGHT BE
ABLE TO
MOVE QUICKLY.



THEY'RE ALL-
LIVING AND
THEY'RE ALL-
LIVING ARE!



BEING
INDE-
PEN-
DENT
IS
AWE-
SOME!

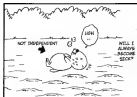
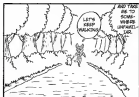


THIS IS
RELIEFING!

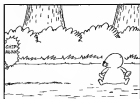
CHIPMUNK, YOU'RE
ALONG! THIS IS A
TEST YOU HAVE TO
OVERCOME TO HELP
YOU BECOME
INDEPENDENT



MY OPINION



BEING INDEPENDENT



DAI'S EXPLANATION

TRY SAYING
SOMETHING
TO ME.

BONO-
BONO.



IF CHIRPAK
HOLDS ONTO HIS
WILLY, WHY
CAN'T HE BECOME
INDEPENDENT?



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I WONDER IF BEING INDEPENDENT
MEANS NOT CRYING RIGHT AWAY,
NOT GETTING MAD RIGHT AWAY, OR
NOT LAUGHING RIGHT AWAY.
WELL THEN, I WONDER IF BEING IN-
DEPENDENT ALSO MEANS NOT RUN-
NING RIGHT AWAY, NOT JUMPING
RIGHT AWAY, OR NOT SLEEPING
RIGHT AWAY.

I WONDER IF "RIGHT AWAY," IS
NO-GOOD.

I WONDER IF "RIGHT AWAY," IS
NO-GOOD.

RIGHT AWAY



DAI'S EXPLANATION



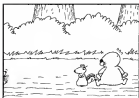
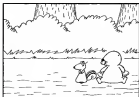
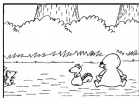
CHIPMUNK IS LIVING BY HIMSELF



MEANWHILE, CHIPMLINK'S DAD AND MOM



THE DISPOSED WALNUT



MEANWHILE, CHIPMUNK'S DAD AND MOM



CHIPMUNK'S DETERMINATION

WHY? HE'S LYING. HE SAID THE SAME THING BEFORE.

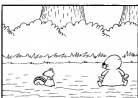
OHAY THERE. WELL, WE'RE GOING TO GO BACK HOME. WHO LET GO OF CHIPMUNK.



CHIPMUNK IS GOING TO BE INDEPENDENT.



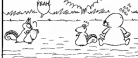
NO, I DON'T BELIEVE CHIPMUNK. LET'S GO BACK HOME.



REALLY? FOR SURE?



CHIPMUNK, REALLY?



CHIPMUNK IS AMAZING



LET'S ASK RACCOON



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WHAT ABOUT RACCOON?
 WHAT ABOUT RACCOON?
 I WONDER IF RACCOON IS
 INDEPENDENT.
 IN THE PAST, I WONDER IF RACCOON
 ALSO CARRIED SOMETHING WHEN HE
 WALKED AROUND.
 I WONDER HOW RACCOON GOT RID OF
 IT.
 I WONDER HOW HE GOT RID OF IT.



LIKE THIS



WHAT RACCOON HAD

**TREE
STUMP**



STUPID! THE WAY
TO BECOME INDI-
PENDENT IS
SOMETHING YOU
HAVE TO THINK
ON YOUR OWN



SO WHY DID
YOU GET RID
OF IT?

WHAT?
A TREE
STUMP?



RACCOON, DID YOU
HAVE SOMETHING
LIKE MY TAIL, SHELL
OR CHOMPING'S
WEALTH?



**BECAUSE IT'S
HEAVY!**



I
DID.



IT
WAS

RACCOON, WHAT DID
YOU
HAVE?

HUH?
REALLY?



I WONDER IF IT'S COOL



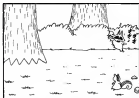
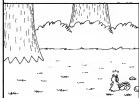
I WONDER IF IT'S IRRITATING



MY IDEA



I'M IRRITATING



EASY-GOING



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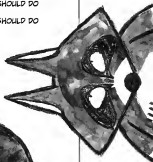
I'M NOT EASY-GOING.
I'M NOT EASY-GOING.
I WONDER IF I'M NOT EASY-
GOING BECAUSE I'M NOT
INDEPENDENT.

IF I BECOME INDEPENDENT, I
WONDER IF I'LL BE EASY-GOING.

IF I BECOME EASY-GOING, I
WONDER IF I'LL BE INDEPENDENT.

I WONDER WHICH I SHOULD DO
FIRST.

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FIRST.



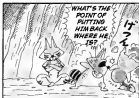
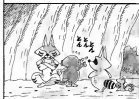
CHIPMUNK'S DAD GETTING
WALNUTS



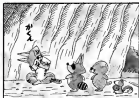
MEANWHILE, CHIPMUNK'S DAD GOT
SOME WALNUTS



LET'S ASK MR. FISHING CAT



I WOKE UP MR. FISHING CAT



MEANWHILE AT THE CHIPMUNK HOUSEHOLD



MR. FISHING CAT'S THOUGHTS



MY THOUGHTS



CHIPMUNK'S DAD WANTS TO CHANGE THE TOPIC



I WONDER IF I SHOULD GET RID OF IT AS WELL



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MR. FISHING CAT CAN PRETEND TO BE AWAKE
WHEN HE SLEEPS AND HE CAN PRETEND TO BE
SLEEPING WHEN HE'S AWAKE.
I WONDER WHY HE DOES THAT.
I WONDER WHY HE DOES THAT.
WHAT WILL HAPPEN IF HE DOES SOMETHING LIKE
THAT?
WHAT WILL HAPPEN IF HE DOES SOMETHING LIKE
THAT?
IF HE DOES THAT, I WONDER IF HE CAN BECOME
INDEPENDENT?
IF HE DOES THAT, I WONDER IF HE CAN BECOME
INDEPENDENT?



WHAT CHIPMUNK DID



I WONDER WHAT CHIPMUNK DID



HOW TO TOUCH AS IF YOU'RE INDEPENDENT



WE TOUCH AS IF WE WERE INDEPENDENT



DAD'S OPINION



LET'S ASK DAD



I PRETEND I'M SLEEPING WHILE
I'M AWAKE.



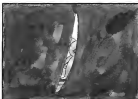
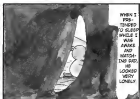
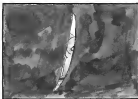
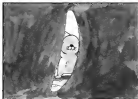
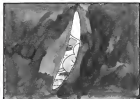
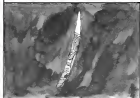
AH, THAT'S RIGHT

SO DOES
THAT MEAN
I CAN
NEVER
BECOME
SLEEPY-
IDENT?

THAT'S
POINT. IF I
DON'T HAVE
MY SEA
SHELL, I
MIGHT DO!



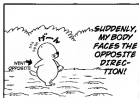
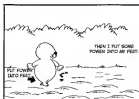
DAD WHEN I PRETEND TO SLEEP WHILE I'M AWAKE AND WATCHING HIM



THE SECOND "AH, THAT'S RIGHT"



HOW I HAVE FUN

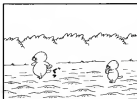
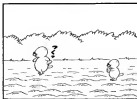
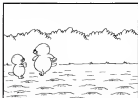


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CHIPMUNK
THOUGHT OF
HOW TO HAVE
FUN.
CHIPMUNK
THOUGHT OF
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FUN.



I'M GOING TO TRY TO TEACH MY DAD



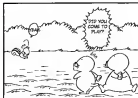
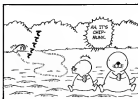
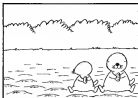
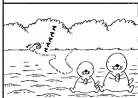
CHIPMUNK THOUGHT OF A NEW WAY TO HAVE FUN



CHIPMUNK'S NEW WORD



AH, IT'S CHIPMUNK



CHIPMUNK'S NEW WAY TO HAVE FUN



THE NAME CHIPMUNK GAVE HIMSELF



HOW ABOUT IT, DAD?



THE NAME THAT CHIPMLINK GAVE ME



WHAT ABOUT DAD?



THE NAME I CAME UP WITH



LET'S GIVE DAD A NAME



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CHIPMUNK'S IDEA IS AWESOME.
CHIPMUNK'S IDEA IS AWESOME.
IT'S AWESOME THAT CHIPMUNK IS
GOING TO GIVE A NEW NAME TO EV-
ERYBODY.
YEAH, LET'S GIVE EVERYBODY A NAME.
LET'S GIVE EVERYBODY A NAME.



WHAT ABOUT DAD?



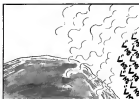
DAD'S NAME



AH, DAD'S RESISTING



SUPER HAPPY CHINCHILLA



LET'S GIVE EVERYBODY A NAME



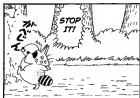
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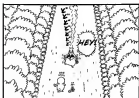
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RACCOON'S NAME



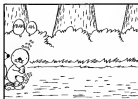
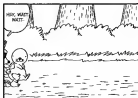
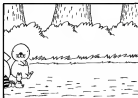
RACCOON'S NAME



A NEW SIDE OF RACCOON



LET'S GO MET RACCOON'S FRIEND



RACCOON'S FRIEND'S NAME



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RACCOON IS AWESOME.
RACCOON IS AWESOME.
EVEN THOUGH HE WAS REALLY
MAD, HE CAN BECOME REALLY
KIND IMMEDIATELY. I THINK
THAT'S AMAZING.
I THINK IT MIGHT EVEN BE
MORE AMAZING THAN BEING
NICE WHEN YOU'RE NOT MAD.
I WONDER.



AH, IT'S FENNEC FOX



FENNEC FOX



HOW FENNEC FOX FEELS



FENNEC FOX'S NAME



FENNEC FOX'S SONG



RACCOON'S RESPONSE



RACCOON'S SONG



WHAT?

I DON'T GET YOU
GUYS. MY SONG IS
A LOT MORE INTER-
ESTING. STUPID.

IT HURTS,
BACCOON!

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FENNEC FOX IS FUNNY.
FENNEC FOX IS FUNNY.
I WANT TO BE FUNNY TOO.
I WANT TO BE FUNNY TOO.
I WONDER IF I LACK SOME-
THING TO BECOME FUNNY.
I WONDER IF I HAVE TO
MUCH OF SOMETHING TO
BECOME FUNNY.

YOU GUYS WHO
AREN'T DOING
ANYTHING. WHY
DON'T YOU SING?

UHHH...

HAHA...

WE'RE IN TROUBLE



FENNEC FOX MAKES US RELAX



WE SING A SONG

BOOGALOO, WE'RE
GOING TO SING.

WHY? YOU'RE THE
ONE WHO KEEPS
ON SAYING USE-
LESS THINGS



FENNEC FOX IS MAD

DO IT.

HEHE

THAT HURTS! BOO-
GOAL! I'M GOING TO
HATE YOU



CHOMPALOO,
LET'S DO IT
TOGETHER.

THAT'S RIGHT
HURRY UP AND
DO IT, STUPID!

WHY?
REALLY??



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DO IT ONE
AT A TIME,
YOU
IDIOTS!



I REALLY
HATE
YOU



MY SONG



CHIPMUNK'S SONG



CHIPMUNK'S SONG

AH, CHIPMUNK

YOU GOT IT? IF
YOU DON'T WANT TO
BE SWALLOWED
THEN HURRY UP
AND SING!

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PIPPIRIPPURU
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HE'S SAYING, "ARE YOU
OKAY, CHIPMUNK?"

RU
ONKAY
?

CHIPMUNK'S SONG



RACCOON'S PRANK

AUGUST

HEY, I
WANT TO
SING.

COME HERE
YOU.

WHAT YOU
WANT
"WELCOME"?

WHAT
WILL YOU
GUYS
BECOME?

THAT'S
THE
THING

WANT
WHAT?

WAAAA
HAAAA

OH.

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CHIPMUNK IS ALSO FUNNY.
CHIPMUNK IS ALSO FUNNY.
I ALSO WANT TO BE FUNNY.
I ALSO WANT TO BE FUNNY.
I WONDER WHEN CHIPMUNK
BECAME FUNNY.
I WONDER WHEN I STOPPED
BEING FUNNY.
I WONDER.



MY THOUGHTS

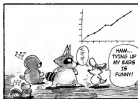
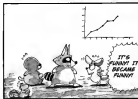
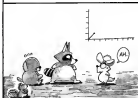


RACCOON'S PRANK



FENNEC FOX'S REACTION

FENNEC FOX'S REACTION



WHAT DO YOU WANT TO BECOME?



CHIPMUNK?



FENNEC FOX IS AMAZING



FENNEC FOX?



RACCOON'S COUNTERATTACK

AS WELL ...

THAT'S FINE ...



AND ...

BE THAT ...



WHAT YOU MEAN "BROODER"?

BLIT ...



GREED

WHAT A POND, BUTTER BROS-
THER! THAT SELFISH!



YOU! YOU'RE SELFISH!
YOU'RE GREEDY! DO YOU
THINK IT'S OKAY TO BE
THAT GREEDY? YOU THINK
IT'S OKAY?



I WANT
TO SING
A SONG!

I DON'T
WANT
BROOD
GREEDY



WHAT YOU MEAN "BECOME"?



FENNEC FOX'S ANSWER



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WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE BE-
TWEEN SINGING A SONG AND
BE SINGING A SONG.
JUST LIKE WHAT RACCOON
SAID.
JUST LIKE WHAT RACCOON
SAID.
SINGING A SONG IS SINGING
A SONG.
ALTHOUGH BE SINGING A
SONG IS SINGING A SONG.
ALTHOUGH...



IS THERE SOMETHING GOOD?



THERE WILL A LOT MORE OF THEM?



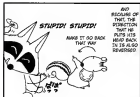
WHAT?



MY THOUGHTS



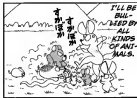
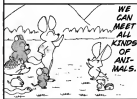
CHIPMUNK IS TREMBLING



CHIPMUNK CAN'T SAY IT



CHIPMUNK'S THOUGHTS



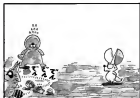
I WONDER WHAT CHIPMUNK IS GOING TO DO



I'M GOING TO SAVE THEM



RACCOON GOES BACK HOME



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RACCOON IS MAD.
I UNDERSTAND A BIT ABOUT HOW HE FEELS.

RACCOON IS MAD.
I UNDERSTAND A BIT ABOUT HOW HE FEELS.

I UNDERSTAND A BIT BECAUSE I WONDER IF IT'S BECAUSE I ALSO WANT TO BE MAD A BIT.

I WONDER IF IT'S BECAUSE I ALSO WANT TO BE MAD A BIT.



EVERYBODY SIT



I'LL DO IT MYSELF



WHAT ARE WE GOING TO DO OURSELVES?



CHIPMUNK THINKS



SCOOSH OVER A BIT



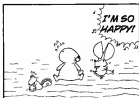
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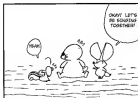
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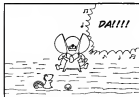
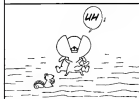
FENNEC FOX'S SONG



CHIPMUNK WILL BE SINGING



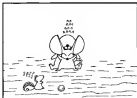
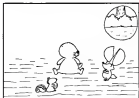
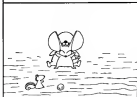
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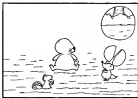
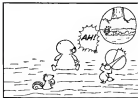
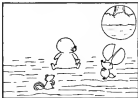
FENNEC FOX THOUGHT OF SOMETHING



FENNEC FOX'S SONG IS AMAZING



WHAT FENNEC FOX CAME UP WITH



I WONDER WHAT I SHOULD I DO



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WE'VE DECIDED TO GO TO
SING TO OTHERS.
WE'VE DECIDED TO GO TO
SING TO OTHERS.
BUT I CANNOT SING.
BUT I CANNOT DANCE.
I WONDER WHAT I SHOULD
DO.
I WONDER WHAT I SHOULD
DO.



WATCHING IS AMAZING



LET'S GET GARDEN DORMOUSE TO LISTEN



LET'S GET CHINCHILLA TO LISTEN



LET'S GET BADGER TO LISTEN



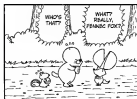
CHIPMLINK'S SOMERSAULT



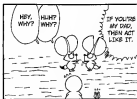
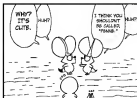
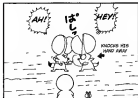
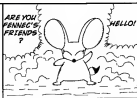
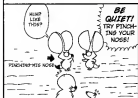
WE'RE BACK AT THE DESERT



NOBODY LISTENS TO OUR SONG



FENNEC FOX'S DAD



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